

Department: Department of Revenue and Taxation

Sponsor(s): Senator Grow

Division: State Tax Commission

Program(s): Property Tax

Description: Property Tax Education

1. Background:

This request is to increase the appropriation from the Property Tax Education Fund to match the increased cash received in FY 2018. As the economy has improved, more county assessors are participating in the property tax education courses and the need to hire trainers has increased as a result. This training is a semi-annual event for county officials and employees who work with property assessments and valuations. Money is paid into this fund by the attendees to cover the cost of instructors, rented classrooms, materials, and other items necessary to conduct training.

2. Agency Request and Governor's Recommendation: The agency requested the following additional appropriation for FY 2019:

Fund	Type	OT	FTP	PC	OE	CO	TB	LS	Total
0401-00	Ded		0.00	0	40,000	0	0	0	40,000
TOTAL			0.00	0	40,000	0	0	0	40,000

3. Actions:**a. Motion:**

"I move for fiscal year 2019, for the State Tax Commission, in the Property Tax Program, \$40,000, ongoing, from dedicated funds."

b. Discussion:

"This motion provides the agency with sufficient spending authority over the next few years to pay for trainings for county assessors."